

TOWN OF ANDOVER

JULY 2017—JUNE 2018

RECYCLING AND TRASH COLLECTION GUIDE FOR RESIDENTS

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Recently the Departments of Public Works and Plant & Facilities were merged to form "Municipal Services", consisting of the following divisions: Building Maintenance, Spring Grove Cemetery, Energy Management, Engineering, Facilities Services, Forestry (Trees), Highway, Parks & Grounds, Sewer Collection, Recycling & Solid Waste, Street Lights, Vehicle Maintenance, Water Treatment and Distribution.

TOWN TREE RELATED CALLS (downed trees, branches, obstructed views) please call 978-623-8700



RECYCLING BINS

Blue, 18 gallon Recycling Bins, may be picked up at the Water Treatment Plant located at 397 Lowell St.

DO NOT RECYCLE PLASTIC BAGS CURBSIDE

May be recycled at participating retailers

We hope you find this guide helpful. Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions or suggestions regarding Recycling and Trash disposal in the Town of Andover.

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MISSED PICKUPS / COMPLAINTS

Household Trash ~ Republic Services 800-442-9006 Recycling ~ Republic Services 800-442-9006

RULES & REGULATIONS—PLEASE SEE INSIDE

Household trash is limited to 4 bags or barrels, no more than 50 pounds each, or the equivalent of 135 gallons maximum per residence. NO "Business" trash accepted.

Trash is collected weekly. Recycling is collected bi-weekly. See pages 4 & 5 for details.

**All trash and recycling must be curbside by 7:00 AM **

Truck routes and schedules are subject to change without notice during the day

Trash on private property will NOT be picked up

One Bulky Item is allowed per week in addition to household trash (see page 7 for details)

Recycling or Trash buried under snow **WILL NOT** be picked up

WEATHER RELATED DELAYS, CALL 978-623-8700 OR SIGN UP FOR CODERED FOR AUTOMATIC NOTICES

For quantities exceeding the amount listed above, it is suggested that a private contractor be contacted for disposal (Please see Page 6 for a list of private contractors)

QUESTIONS ABOUT RECYCLING OR TRASH DISPOSAL IN ANDOVER Please call DPW at 978-623-8700 or e-mail at recycle@andoverma.us

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

HHW ~ HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Please visit,

http://andoverma.gov/documentcenter/view/514

for collection dates, times and costs

Proof of residency required /Per Item Fees Apply

Quantities exceeding above will be

charged accordingly.

Propane tanks accepted at this collection DO NOT BRING: Latex Paint, Electronics, White Goods, Appliances.

ELECTRONICS

Please visit,

http://andoverma.gov/documentcenter/view/499

for collection dates, times and costs

Proof of residency required /Per Item Fees Apply

Small electronics such as phones, radios,
speakers, etc., are accepted at no charge

**DO NOT BRING: Propane Tanks, Large White Goods or Appliances.

Business waste NOT accepted

CASH or CHECKS ONLY FOR ELECTRONICS & HHW COLLECTIONS—NO CREDIT CARDS

COMPOST SITE Permits Required

For more information please visit: http://andoverma.gov/268/Bald-Hill-Compost-Site

> Bald Hill at 288 High Plain Road Andover Residents **ONLY**

A Permit is required to drop off leaves, grass clippings and brush, as well as to pick up compost and wood chips.

Permits available at DPW-397 Lowell St and Plant & Facilties-36 Bartlet St.

The compost site accepts grass clippings, leaves, green garden waste and brush as outlined below:

- Maximum diameter of six (6) inches
- Maximum length of four (4) feet
- Must not contain cables, cable anchors, nails or any other metal objects
- You are responsible for removing the materials from your vehicle

No plastic bags allowed.

YARD WASTE

CURBSIDE LEAF COLLECTION

Leaves ONLY— (same day as trash pickup)

**NO rocks, stones, branches or stumps.

FALL— the 5 weeks before Thanksgiving <u>and one</u> week following Thanksgiving week. **NO** collection during the week of the Thanksgiving holiday.

SPRING—the 5 weeks before Memorial Day and the week of Memorial Day.

Leaves accepted **ONLY** if in:

- open trash barrels
- brown paper leaf compost bags
- must weigh 50 pounds or less

**NOTE - the leaf collection truck is a separate truck than the household trash truck

PLASTIC BAGS NOT ACCEPTED

BUNDLED BRANCHES—do not put in leaf bags

Twigs/branches are allowed in the weekly trash pickup, (subject to limitation of 3-4 bundles) and must be bundled with tape or rope as follows:

- Up to 6" in diameter
- 50# or less
- up to 4' in length
- No foliage

BURNING SEASON

JANUARY 15th-MAY 1st

Permit and information packet available at The Fire Department \sim 978-475-1281, x2012.

CHRISTMAS TREES

Christmas Trees will be collected the same day as trash collection. Please remove all decorations and place tree curbside with your regular trash.

Trees over 7' in height must be cut in half.

(Trees frozen in snow banks will not be picked up.)

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING

ONE CONTAINER MAY BE USED FOR ALL ITEMS, BUT ALL ITEMS ARE NOT RECYCLABLE!

MATERIAL WH

WHAT TO RECYCLE

HOW TO PREPARE DO NOT INCLUDE

METAL



- Deposit and Non-Deposit beverage cans
- Steel/tin cans
- Aluminum pie plates and trays
- Rinse Clean
- Labels OK

- Other Metal items
- Aluminum foil
- Paint cans
- Aerosol cans
- Coat hangers
- Metal Cookware

GLASS



 Clear, green and brown food and beverage containers only

- Rinse Clean
- Collar, neck rings & labels OK
- Broken glass
- Mirrors
- Ceramics (plates, cookware)
- Drinking glasses
- Light bulbs
- Windows

PLASTIC



Soda and detergent bottles

Plastic milk, juice and water jugs



Must have Recycling Triangle! STYROFOAM NOT ACCEPTED

- Rinse Clean
- Labels OK

- **PLASTIC BAGS**—can be recycled at grocery stores
- Styrofoam
- Rigid Plastics
- Chemical or Motor Oil containers

CARDBOARD



Recycling of Cardboard is

MANDATORY!

It will NOT be accepted into the trash!

There is no drop off site

Breakdown, flatten and fold boxes, cartons & other pieces of cardboard into

3' x 3' x 2' bundles

then tie or tape them together & place next to your bin!

- Styrofoam packaging (peanuts, large pieces, etc.)
- Styrofoam is to be placed with Household Trash

PAPER



- Newspapers
- Magazines, Catalogs
- Junk Mail, Envelopes
- Books, Phone Books
- Paper Bags
- Office/Computer Paper
- Boxboard—remove liners
- Beverage Cartons

SAVE SPACE BY FLATTENING!

- Tie or tape stacks of paper together
- Put paper in paper bags
- Remove hard-covers from books
- Food-soiled paper/boxes
- PLASTIC BAGS—may be recycled at grocery stores

NO PLASTIC BAGS!!!

To avoid contaminating the recycling stream, DO NOT use plastic bags in your recycling bin – simply put your recyclable items straight into the bin.

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING ~ Recycling is MANDATORY

- Allowable items of Mixed Paper, Glass, Plastic and Metals may be combined in a Blue Bin or personal container(s) with Red Recycling Stickers (see below). PLASTIC BAGS ARE NOT AN ACCEPTABLE CONTAINER.
- NO CONTAINER MAY EVER WEIGH MORE THAN 50 POUNDS AT ANY TIME
- Cardboard MAY still be bundled and placed next to bin(s) (see page 7 or above on how to prepare)

CONTAINERS—Blue Bins are NOT to be modified in any way. NO Plastic Bags!

• <u>Please have at least one Blue Recycling Bin</u> to identify recycling. Larger personal containers (such as a 30 gallon trash barrel) may be used, with **total weight less than 50 pounds** and Two(2) <u>Red Recycling Stickers</u> on the outside. Red Stickers may be obtained for free at the Water Treatment Plant, 397 Lowell St. (Rte. 133).

WEEK "A" RECYCLING COLLECTION (shaded area on calendar)

MONDAY Applecrest Rd. Avon St. Barnard St Barrington Dr. Bartlett St. Brookfield Rd. Buchan Rd. Burton Farm Dr. Cabot Rd. Carmel Rd. Cedar Rd. Chapman Ave. Cheever Circle Chestnut St. & Ct. Chickering Ct. Coolidge Rd. Dallon Rd. Dearborn Ln. Downing St. Dwight St. Elm Ct. Elm St. Elysian Dr. Florence St. Foster Circle Fox Hill Rd. Gudrun Dr. Harding St. Hartigan Ct. Heather Dr. High St. (Elm to Walnut) Highland Ave. Highland Rd. Highland Wayside Howell Dr. Ivanhoe I n. Johnson Rd. Judson Rd. Kathleen Dr. Lockway Rd. Lucerne Dr. Maple Ave. & Ct. Marie Dr. Memorial Circle Morton St. (Main to Chestnut) Napier Rd. Park St. Parnassus Pl. Pasho St. Pine St. Prospect Rd. Punchard Ave. Robandy Rd. Rock Ridge Rd. Rogers Brook (East & West) Salem St. (from Main to Rt.125) Sherry Dr. Shipman Rd. Stevens Circle Stone Post Rd.

Stonehedge Rd. Stratford Rd.

Tanglewood Way

Washington Ave.

Summer St.

Temple Pl.

Twin Brook Upland Rd.

Walnut Ave. Wardhill Ln.

Watson Ave.

Wheeler St. Whittier St. & Ct. Wolcott Ave. Woodcliff Rd. Woodland Rd

Westwind Rd.

TUESDAY Abbott Bridge Dr. Abbot St. Alden Rd. Anderson Circle Baker Ln. Ballardvale Rd. Bayberry Ln. Blackberry Ln. Brook St. Buxton Ct. Central Ln. Central St. Chestnut St. Chippy Ln. Cider Hill Way Colonial Dr. Cullen Circle Danforth Circle Eastman Rd. Enfield Dr Essex St. Forbes Ln. Gardner Ave. Gradall Ln. Hammond Way Hartford Circle Henderson Ave. Hidden Field Hidden Rd. Jefferson Ln. Karlton Circle Lantern Rd. Lewis St. Livingston Circle Locke St. Lupine Rd. Mackenzie Ct. Main & So. Main (from No. Reading Line to Harding) Manning Way Marion Ave. McDonald Circle Millstone Circle Morton St. (School to Main) Nutmeg Ln. Old South Ln. Orchard Crossing Paddock Ln. Patriot Dr. Pearson St. Phillips St. Porter Rd. Prides Circle Prides Ln. Railroad St. Ridge St. School St. So. Main & Main (from No. Reading Line to

WEDNESDAY Andover St. (Dascomb to Red Spring Rd.) Apache Way Argilla Rd. Bateson Dr. Birch Rd. Blood Rd. Cattle Crossing Cricket Circle Cuba St Cutler Rd. Dawn Circle Delisio Dr. Dorset Circle Fairfax Dr. Farmland Circle Hemlock Rd. Heritage Ln. Hickory Ln. High Plain Rd. (Beacon to Greenwood) Holly Terr. Homestead Circle Lowell St. (Beacon to Lovejoy) Mayflower Rd. Meadowview Ln. Midland Circle Miles Circle Moraine St. Newman Hill Dr. Nob Hill Circle Oriole Dr. Penacook Pl. Pilgrim Dr. Pioneer Circle Pondview Pl. Poplar Terr. Red Spring Rd. Rennie Dr. Reservation Rd. Robinswood Way Rolling Ridge Rd. Rose Glen Dr. Ruggiero Way Serenity Ln. Shirley Rd. Spencer Ct. Standish Cir. Strawberry Hill Rd. Sweetbriar Ln. Thresher Rd. Turner Circle Virginia Rd. West Parish Dr. Whispering Pines Dr. Wild Rose Dr. Windemere Dr

THURSDAY Apollo Circle Ashbury Ln. Beacon St. Bedford Pl. Belle Isle Way Brundrett Ave. Chandler Rd. Chongris Cir. Christian Way Cloverfield Dr. Dairy Ln. Dandelion Dr. Donald Circle Fossen Way Fun Flight Circle Furnari Farm Ln. Gemini Circle Gleason St. Greenmeadow Ln. Greenwood Rd. (High Plain to North) Hawthorne Circle Inwood Ln. Iron Gate Dr. **lillian Way** Joseph St Juniper Rd. Launching Rd. Laurel Ln. Ledge Rd. Matthew St. Mercury Circle Monette Cir. Murray Hill Ln. Noel Rd. Nollet Dr. North St. Norwich Pl. Old River Rd. Pauline Dr. Paulornette Circle Peterof Circle Pettingell Ave. Pheasant Run Possom Hollow Rd. Ravens Bluff Richard Circle River Rd. Samos Ln. Somerset Dr. Southridge Cir. Starrwood Crossing Stevens St off of Web-Suffolk Cir. Sutton Way Trinity Ct.

Webster St.

Winchester Dr.

Woodhaven Dr.

FRIDAY Argyle St. Arthur Rd. Arundel St. Balmoral St. Beech Circle Brechin Terr. Burnham Rd. Carisbrooke St. Carlisle St. Cassimere St. Castle Heights Rd. Cindy Ln. Crescent Dr. Cyr Circle Dufton Rd. Dumbarton St. Enmore St. Fleming Ave. Flint Circle Haverhill St. High St. (Walnut to Lawrence) Joyce Terr Kenilworth St. (N. Main to Riverina) Liberty St. Lillian Terr. Lincoln Circle Lincoln St. Linwood St. Marilyn Rd. Marylou Ln. North Main St. (Harding to Rt. 133) Olde Berry Rd. Riverina Rd. Rock O Dundee Rd. Sargent St. Shawsheen Rd. Smithshire Estates Stevens St. Stirling St. Sutherland St. Theodore Ave. Village Way Whittemore Ter. York St.

COLLECTION CALENDAR

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Legal Holidays—Collection following Holiday will be one day later

Curbside Leaf Pickup: (Dates in Bold/Italicized) Fall: 10/16 — 12/1/17 (no collection week of Thanksgiving)

Spring: 4/23 — 6/1/17

Harding)

Spring Grove Rd.

(Hidden to Ballardvale)

Spruce Circle Sunset Rock Rd.

Sweeney Ct.

Teaberry Ln.

West Hollow

Woburn St.

Willoughby Ln.

Wyncrest Circle

Winterberry Lane

Tilton Ln. Timothy Dr.

Torr St.

HHW Collection - Dates TBD

Electronics Collection —Dates TBD

JULY 2017—JUNE 2018

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WEEK "B" RECYCLING COLLECTION (un-shaded area on calendar)

MONDAY
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Agawam Ln. Alison Way
Appletree Ln.
Archer Ln.
Arrowood Ln.
Athena Circle
Bancroft Rd.
Black Horse Ln.
Blueberry Circle
Blueberry Hill
Brentwood Circle
Bypass Rd.
Cameron Rd.
Charles Circle
Chatham Rd.
Coderre Way
College Circle
Coventry Ln. Delphi Circle
Douglas Ln.
Eagle Way
Embassy Ln.
Farrwood Dr.
Forest Dr.
Frederick St.
Glen Cove Rd.
Gould Rd.
Gray Rd.
Great Heron Pl.
Harold Parker Rd.
Harper Circle
Harwich Ln. Haven Dr.
Holt Rd.
Hunter Dr.
Ivy Ln.
Jenkins Rd.
Korinthian Way
Linda Rd.
Meadowbrook Dr.
Mohawk Dr. Montego Circle
Moreland Ave.
Mortimer Dr.
Nancy Circle
Olympia Way
Orchard St.
Penobscot Way
Phoenix Pl.
Pinecrest Rd.
Piper's Glen
Rachel Rd.
Random Ln. Rocky Hill Rd.
Sagamore Dr.
Salem St (Rte 125 to
N. Andover)
Sandy Brook Circle
Sawyers Ln. Seneca Circle
Seneca Circle
Sequoia Ln.
Seten Circle
Shaw Dr. Sheridan Rd.
Skopelos Cir.
Stinson Rd.
Suncrest Rd.
Tamys Ln.
Tobey Ln.
Tucker Rd.

Vine St. Wagon Wheel Rd.

West Knoll Rd.

Wethersfield Dr.

Wildwood Rd.

TUESDAY Acropolis Circle Alderbrook Rd. Andover St. (Woburn to Dascomb) Arcadia Rd. Azalea Dr. Bannister Rd. Belknap Dr. Boston Rd. Bradlev Rd. Bristol Ln. Carter Ln. Center St. Charlotte Dr. Chester St. Church St. Clark Rd. Clinton Ct. Clover Circle Copley Dr. Cottage Rd. Countryside Way County Rd. Dale St. Donna Rd. Doric Way Dundas Ave. Fern Rd. Foster Pond Rd. Garfield Ln. Germano Way Glenwood Rd. Gregory Cir. Hall Ave. Hawk Ridge Rd. High Vale Ln. Island Way Laconia Dr. Lavender Hill Ln. Lowell Junction Rd. Marland St. Messinia Dr. Mitton Circle Molly Rd. Morningside Dr. Nicoll Dr. Oak St. Odyssey Way Parthenon Circle Peach Tree Path Peppercorn Ln. Pine Cone Ln. Pine Tree Ln. Pole Hill Dr. Pomeroy Rd. Powers Rd. Radcliff Dr. Rattlesnake Hill Rd. Redgate Dr. Regency Ridge River Park Terr. River St. Roulston Circle Shandel Circle Sleepy Hollow Ln. Snowberry Rd. Sparta Way Sunset Rock (Ballardvale to Alderbrook) Tewksbury St. Waverly Dr. Willard Circle White Oak Dr. Yardley Rd

WEDNESDAY Acorn Dr. Algonquin Ave. Alonesos Way Apple Blossom Rd. Barbara Ln. Barron Ct. Basswood Ln. Bellevue Rd. Blanchard St. Bridle Path Rd. Brown St. Buttonwood Dr. Candlewood Dr. Cardinal Ln. Cardigan Road Carriage Hill Rd. Chais Circle Cherokee Circle Cheyenne Circle Comanche Pl. Cottonwood Circle Crestwood Dr. Crystal Cir. Dascomb Rd. (Blood to Tewksbury) David Dr. Dean Circle Deca Circle Devonshire Pl. Durham Dr. Evergreen Ln. Exeter Way Fairway Dr. Frontage Rd. Fulton Circle Geneva Rd. Glen Meadow Rd. Granli Dr. Greenwood Rd. (133 to High Plain) Hackney Circle Haggetts Pond Rd. (Bellevue to Lowell) Hansom Rd. Harmony Ln Hazelwood Circle Hearthstone Pl. Iroquois Ave. Jordvn Ln. Keystone Way Lancaster Pl. Landau Ln. Lansbury Ln. Lenox Pl. Lovejoy Rd. Lowell St. (Lovejoy to Tewksbury) Marigold Ln. Newport Cir. Osgood St. Partridge Hill Rd. Patricia Circle Phaeton Circle Preston Circle Rasmussen Circle Regis Rd. Russett Ln. Seminole Circle Shawnee Circle Sioux Circle Starwood Crossing Steenle Ct. Stouffer Circle Surrey Ln. Talbot Rd. Tallyho Ln. Tessier Dr. Tiffany Ln. Wabanaki Way Whiffletree Circle Will O Way

THURSDAY Alpine Dr. Ashford Ln. Aspen Circle Atwood Ln. Avella Circle Avery Ln. Bailey Rd. Belle Haven Dr. Berkeley Ln. Bittersweet Ln. Black Birch Way Boutwell Rd. Brady Loop Brierwood Circle Cherrywood Circle Cobblestone Ln. Cross St. Deerberry Ln. Deerfield Way Doyle Circle Ellsworth Rd. Fiske St. Forest Hill Dr. Fraser Dr. Fremont In. Gavin Circle Gina Jo Way Golden Oaks Governors Dr. Granada Way Greenbrier Circle Greybirch Rd. Hacienda Way Haggetts Pond Rd. (Lowell to Pleasant) Hampton Ln. Hav Bale Rd. High Plain Rd. (Greenwood to end) Highmeadow Rd. Hitchcock Farm Rd. Holmes Rd. Kalia Circle Knollcrest Dr. Lakeside Circle Lamancha Way Langley Ln. Larchmont Circle Monahan Ln. Montclair Ave. Mulberry Circle Nicholas Circle Old School House Rd. Penbrook Circle Pendant Ct. Penni Ln. Pepperidge Circle Pleasant St. Quail Run Ridge Hill Way Rindge Rd. Rutgers Rd. Sandalwood Ln. Sevilla Rd. Sheffield Circle Starr Ave. Stoneybrook Circle Sugarbush Ln. Wedgewood Dr. Wellington Circle Wintergreen Circle Woodhill Rd. Woodman Ridge Rd. Zambom Terr.

FRIDAY Allen Rd. Amherst Rd. Andover Country Club Ln. Ayer St. Binney St. Bobby Jones Dr. Bowdoin Rd. Canterbury St. Celia St. Chadwick Circle Chandler Circle Corbett St. Cormiers Way Cornell Rd. Dartmouth Rd. Endicott Rd. Farnham Circle Ferndale Ave. Franklin Ave. George St. Harvard Rd. Haskell Rd. Iceland Rd. Juliette St. Kenilworth St (N. Main to Poor St) Kensington St. Kirkland Dr. Lowell St -- (#1 to Beacon St) Magnolia Ave. Marwood Dr. McKenney Circle North Main St. (133 to Lawrence) Poor St. Princeton Ave. Scotland Dr. Shadow Ln. Shepley St. Sherbourne St. Stafford Ln. Topping Rd. Trevino Circle Union St. Walker Ave. Warwick Circle Wescott Rd. Westminster Roadway William St. Windsor St Worthen Pl. Yale Rd.

HOLIDAYS ~ The following affect regular trash and recycling pickup for 2017—2018

Independence Day (4th of July). Labor Day. Columbus Day. Thanksgiving Day. Christmas. New Year's Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. Washington's Birthday (Presidents Day). Patriots Day. Memorial Day (Collection Following Holidays Above, will be one day later. School Closings and Other Religious Holidays **DO NOT** AFFECT THE SCHEDULE)

SPECIAL ITEMS

PRIVATE DISPOSAL OPTIONS

Residents are responsible for costs associated with private disposal

 1-800-GOT-JUNK
 800-468-5865

 https://collegehunkshaulingjunk.com/
 888-689-5999

 http://www.trash123.com/
 617-435-7979

DROP OFF LOCATIONS BELOW ~ Call for what is accepted

Mello Transfer Station - Georgetown, MA978-352-9948Haverhill Metal Salvage - Haverhill, MA978-372-6900LL & S Disposal - Salem, NH603-898-4089*Northeast Material Handling - Ayer, MA978-521-9595

*Offers both pick-up and drop-off services

BOOKS & TEXTILES

www.bigheartedbooks.com

**The Town of Andover does not contract with nor make recommendations for any companies listed above. The list is solely a resource for the residents and subject to change without notice.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE may be disposed of at the Town's HHW Collection. See page 2 for details.

APPLIANCES

Large household appliances are not allowed with regular trash nor are they recyclable curbside.

They include but are not limited to: refrigerators, stoves, washers, dryers, dishwashers, heaters, air-conditioners, humidifiers/de-humidifiers, hot water heaters, microwaves, etc.

Residents are responsible for appliance disposal and payment. Check under Private Disposal Options (above), local advertisements and the Yellow Pages.

The Town of Andover will NOT pick up appliances. There is no drop-off site in Andover for appliances

PROPANE TANKS

- 20# Propane tanks are **NOT** accepted curbside
- Contact your local hardware store for drop-off and exchange information
- Propane Tanks accepted at HHW for a fee (see page 2 for details)
- **DO NOT** bring tanks to the Electronics Collection

FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

Quality fire extinguishers (most are metal) in good condition can be recharged. Inexpensive fire extinguishers (most are plastic) and those in poor condition cannot be recharged.

Look under "Fire Extinguishers" in the Yellow Pages for a company that can recharge or call your local hardware store to see if they offer this service.

LATEX PAINT

Latex paint (or any paint cleaned with soap and water) is accepted with your trash if completely dried:

- Remove cover and allow paint to dry.
- Place stick inside can and stir occasionally to eliminate skin formation to aid drying time.
- For faster drying; add kitty litter or commercially available drying agents to paint.
- Cover must be removed when placed curbside so that the dried paint is visible.

CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS

Construction & Demolition Debris, C&D, is banned from the waste stream and will not be collected curbside. C&D consists of but is not limited to; asphalt, brick, concrete, cabinetry, windows, doors, skylights, roofing, sheetrock, siding, all fences, electric wiring, radiators/baseboard heaters, insulation, piping, etc.

You will need to make arrangements with either your contractor to dispose of the waste or privately contract with a disposal service. A list of **Private Disposal Options** is shown on this page.

<u>Asbestos</u> is required to be disposed of via a licensed Asbestos contractor. For more information you can visit www.mass.gov/dep

RAW WOOD (Untreated)

Raw Wood consists of any unused, untreated wood product void of paint, stain, varnish, nails, screws, etc.

- Removing nails does not return it to RAW WOOD
- Plywood is NOT considered Raw Wood
- Pressure treated wood is NOT Raw Wood
- Fences of any kind, are NOT Raw Wood

Wood must be bundled as follows:

- 6" in diameter or less, 3'-4' lengths
- taped or rope together
- each bundle must weigh less than 50#.

METALS

Small quantities of metal will be accepted with regular household trash. Larger quantities are suggested to go to a metal salvage yard.

SMOKE DETECTORS

Old Smoke and Fire alarms may be returned to the manufacturer. Newer (non-mercury containing) models may be disposed of in your trash.

SPECIAL ITEMS

SHARPS & NEEDLES —

Disposal Sites

Center at Punchard and Andover Public Safety. Please be sure that sharps are disposed of in:

- small sharps container
- small puncture proof container
- lid must be secured screwed on or taped shut

For more information, visit:

www.andoverma.gov/health/sharpsdisposal.pdf



Andover Public Safety now has a kiosk for the sole purpose for disposal of unused prescription and non-prescription drugs. Vitamins and veterinary medications are also accepted. Please be sure they are in a secure container.

**Needles and sharps, liquids,

IV equipment and chemotherapy drugs are not accepted.



FLUORESCENT BULBS (INCLUDING CFLS)

NO Town drop off available in Andover. **Bring** to the Electronics Collections ONLY. Check with Lowes, Home Depot, Batteries + Bulbs, or other local hardware stores for battery and CFL drop off availability.

MERCURY & BATTERIES— Year Round

AVAILABLE DAILY DROP-OFF SITES AND ALLOWABLE ITEMS

TOWN OFFICES - Health Department

- Mercury items, Button, Lithium & Rechargeable Batteries **WATER TREATMENT PLANT**
- Mercury items, Button, Lithium & Rechargeable Batteries SENIOR CENTER—Information Desk
- Cell Phones, Button Batteries
- **ALKALINE AND STANDARD HEAVY DUTY batteries are allowed in household trash, they are not accepted at Special Collections or Town Offices. These are typically Non-Rechargeable everyday use types.
- **LEAD ACID BATTERIES OF ANY TYPE/SIZE Refer to HHW & Electronics Collections (page 2).
- **MERCURY PRODUCTS include, but are not limited to: thermometers, old thermostats, blood pressure machines, barometers. For more information please visit www.keepmercuryfromrising.org



CARDBOARD & PAPER

MANDATORY RECYCLING IF YOU CAN RIP IT ∼ YOU CAN RECYCLE IT!!!!!

- Newspapers
- Magazines
- Catalogs
- Junk Mail
- Envelopes
- Paper Bags
- Phone Books
- Office Paper

- Computer Paper
- File Folders
- Fax paper
- Stationery
- All Books
- Spiral Notebooks
- Boxboard
- Shredded paper

CARDBOARD! Please break down, flatten and fold boxes, cartons & other pieces of cardboard into 3' x 3' x 2' bundles (must weigh less than 50 #), then tie or tape them together & place next to your

Boxes not broken down will **NOT be picked up**

BULKY ITEMS

Residents are allowed **ONE** bulky item per week with their regular household trash. Bulky items include but not limited to: sofa, loveseat, chairs, recliners, arm-chair, mattress and box-spring set, table, desk, bookcase, carpeting.

*Treadmills are NOT considered a Bulky Item *Construction Debris is **NOT** considered a Bulky Item

CARPETING PREPARATION:

Carpet must be cut into 3'-4' widths, rolled then taped or roped together and each bundle must weigh less than 50#. Loose carpeting will not be accepted.

One Room Carpet = One Bulky Item

WASTE MOTOR OIL

1st & 3rd Saturdays of each month WHEN:

WHFRF: North Andover DPW Garage

384 Osgood Street

Telephone: 978-685-0950

\$.50 per gallon COST:

9:00 am-12:00 noon **HOURS:**

TIRES

Tires are banned from the regular trash and are not recyclable curbside. Residents are responsible for their disposal. A list of **Private Disposal Options** is shown on page 6, or check the Yellow Pages and local advertisements for tire disposal.

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EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT TRASH & RECYCLING

SAVE ANDOVER \$75,000—\$100,000 !!! RECYCLE JUST FIVE (5) EXTRA POUNDS PER WEEK !!

Some examples include:

GLASS: salsa jar, salad dressing, wine bottles. **METAL**: soda cans, vegetable cans **PAPER**: food boxes, junk mail, paper bags, newspapers, magazines.

PLASTIC: Gallon jug, mayo jar, peanut butter jar, yogurt drinks, spice jar, water bottle, soda bottle.

STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

The Town is continuing to implement a Stormwater Management Program to improve water quality by reducing the discharge of pollutants from storm water runoff into local storm drains, rivers, ponds, streams and other receiving waterbodies. The following information is provided as part of the Public Education component.

ILLICIT DISCHARGE DETECTION AND ELIMINATION

What is an illicit discharge?

An illicit discharge is the discharge of pollutants or non-stormwater materials into a storm drain system via overland flow, direct dumping, or illegal connections. Illicit discharges may be a result of industrial activity, deposits of oil on parking lots, excess lawn fertilizer and yard clippings, and a variety of other sources which pollute water with turbidity, excess nutrients, and bacteria. Illicit discharges can also be from failing septic systems or improperly connected sewer lines. Dumping anything other than stormwater into a storm drain allows these pollutants to enter lakes and streams causing public health concerns, harm to wildlife, and unpleasant odors or color. Developing an illicit discharge detection and elimination program (IDDE) to find and eliminate these sources is mandated by the US EPA under the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) Permit.

Sources of Illicit Discharges

- Sanitary wastewater (sewage)
- Septic tank waste or overflows
- Car wash, laundry, and industrial wastewaters
- Improper disposal of auto and household toxics, such as motor oil, antifreeze, and pesticides
- Spills on roadways and other accidents

How can you help?

- Never dump anything down a storm drain.
- Dispose of yard and pet waste properly.
- Avoid excess use of pesticides and lawn fertilizers.
- Wash your car at a car wash facility.
- Make sure sanitary, laundry, carwash, and industrial wastewaters do not drain to the storm drain system.
- Have your septic tank pumped and inspected at least once every two years.

Contact the Engineering Dept. @ 978-623-8770 to report any unusual storm drain flows that have a noticeable odor, discoloration, or oily sheen.

~Help Keep Our Storm Drains Clean~